

STATE OF IOWA  
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE:  ADVANCED TELCOM, INC., d/b/a ATG AND ADVANCED TELCOM GROUP, INC.	DOCKET NO. TCU-00-15
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**ORDER GRANTING WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION OF CERTIFICATE**

(Issued September 30, 2002)

On May 19, 2000, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order approving the application of Advanced TelCom, Inc., d/b/a ATG and Advanced TelCom Group, Inc. (ATG), for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in Iowa. In that order, the Board stated that a certificate would be issued to ATG to commence service when it gave notice to all affected local exchange carriers and when it had approved tariffs showing the rates, terms, and conditions of service it would be providing.

On September 9, 2002, ATG requested a withdrawal of its approved application. The Board notes that there is no record of ATG filing any tariffs with the Board, nor is there record of the Board issuing a certificate to ATG following the Board's May 19, 2000, order.

The Board has considered ATG's request to withdraw its application and finds that it is reasonable. ATG has not established local service in Iowa nor does it have any Iowa customers who would be affected by its withdrawal.

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:**

The request of Advanced TelCom, Inc., d/b/a ATG and Advanced TelCom Group, Inc., to withdraw its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide local exchange service in Iowa is approved.

**UTILITIES BOARD**

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper  
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2002.